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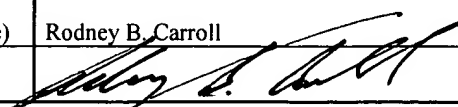
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<b>UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL</b>  Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b)	Attorney Docket No.:	Sprint IDF 1502
	First Inventor or Application Identifier	Thomas R. Bayerl et al
	Title	Method and Apparatus for Synchronizing the Coding and Decoding of Information in an Integrated Services Net
	Express Mail Label No.	EL680310420US

<b>APPLICATION ELEMENTS</b> See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.	<b>ADDRESS TO:</b> Assistant Commissioner for Patents Box Patent Application Washington, DC 20231
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# FEE TRANSMITTAL

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107	490	207	245	Plant filing fee	\$
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Large Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Small Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20	
102	80	202	40	Independent claims in excess of 3	
104	270	204	135	Multiple dependent claim	
109	80	209	40	Reissue independent claims over original patent	
110	18	210	9	Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	

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105	130	205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	\$
127	50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	\$
139	130	139	130	Non-English specification	\$
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for reexam	\$
112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	\$
113	1,840*	113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	\$
115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within 1st month	\$
116	390	216	195	Extension for reply within 2nd month	\$
117	890	217	445	Extension to reply within 3rd month	\$
118	1,390	218	695	Extension to reply within 4th month	\$
128	1,890	228	945	Extension to reply within 5th month	\$
119	310	219	155	Notice of Appeal	\$
120	310	220	155	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	\$
121	270	221	135	Request for oral hearing	\$
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	\$
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	\$
141	1,240	241	620	Petition to revive - unintentional	\$
142	1,210	242	605	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	\$
143	440	243	220	Design issue fee	\$
144	600	244	300	Plant issue fee	\$
122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	\$
123	50	123	50	Petitions related to provisional apps.	\$
126	240	126	240	Submission of Information Dis. Stmt.	\$
581	40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	\$40
146	690	246	345	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	\$
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